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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.
December 28, FUSUN, American str., 1,504, Croad, Shanghai 23rd Dec., General.—RUSSELL & Co.
December 27, THALES, British steamer, 319, F. Ashton, Foochow 23rd Dec., Amoy 24th, and Swatow 26th, General.—DOUGLAS LARKE & Co.
December 27, DIAMANT, German steamer, 514, (Stock, Manila 24th Dec., General.—RUSSELL & Co.
December 27, GLENOR, French str., 1,270, Bonois, Yokohama 20th Dec., via Keio, Mails and General.—MESSAGERS MARITIMES.
December 27, MELROD, American str., 1,338, Lunt, from Wampoa, General.—RUSSELL & Co.
December 27, ELECTRA, German steamer, 1,824, T. Napol, Ningbo 24th Dec., General.—STEWART & Co.
December 27, AMRO, German steamer, 770, Thiesse, Haiphong 23rd Dec., Rion.—A. B. MARY.
December 27, GLENOR, German str., 917, Bertelam, Amoy and Swatow 25th Dec., General.—BUN HIN & Co.
December 28, NINGPO, British str., 711, Wm. Potts, from Wampoa, General.—STEWART & Co.
December 28, GLENOR, British steamer, 1,891, Duke, London 12th Nov., and Singapore 21st Dec., General.—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
December 28, BENLARI, British steamer, 1,482, J. H. Clark, London 7th Nov., and Singapore 20th Dec., General.—GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.
December 28, KOWLING, British str., 1,354, Wobster, Shanghai 25th Dec., General.—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
December 28, VOLTA, French cruiser, Giron, Saigon 22nd Dec., General.—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
December 28, WELCOMBE, British str., 1,323, W. R. Corfield, Kuchino 23rd Dec., Coal.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

CLEARANCES.

AT THE HARBOR MASTER'S OFFICE.
27th DECEMBER.
Three Brothers, British bark, for Vangian.
Westwood, British str., for Singapore.
Baker, British str., for Singapore.
Baker, British str., for Singapore.
Messias, German str., for Yokohama.
Nanaimo, British bark, for Victoria (B.B.).
DEPARTURES.
December 27, P. C. Kiao, British steamer, for Swatow.
December 27, BERNARD, British steamer, for London.
December 27, SIGNAL, German str., for Hobson.
December 28, FUSUN, American str., for Swatow.
December 28, GLENOR, German str., for Singapore.
December 28, WESTGATE, British steamer, for Singapore.
December 28, FUSUN, Amr. str., for Wampoa.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.
Per Fushun, str. from Shanghai.—Messrs. Harbourside, Wong Yung Ching and Ching Booyee and 60 Chinese.
Per Thales, str. from Coast Ports.—Capt. Anderson, Miss Anderson, Messrs. Endicott, Ladlam, and Spelling, and 103 Chinese.
Per Diamant, str. from Manila.—Messrs. B. Jones and Ampara Yalles, 6 Turks, and 117 Chinese.
Per Messias, str. from Yokohama.—For Hongkong.—Messrs. Brown Whittier, Alfred Ledy, and Martin Brown and Japanese servant. From Kure.—For Hongkong.—Messrs. L. Wilson, Eufund, and Matthews and servant. From Saigon.—Lieut. Parry, Sergeant Balon and Judan. Mr. Eymar and servant, 38 soldiers and sailors, from Yokohama.—For Messias.—Messrs. G. Appert, T. A. Reper, G. Laplace, James Anand, and J. Raymond and servant.
Per Electra, str. from Ningpo.—1 Chinese.
Per Gluckburg, str. from Amoy, 60.—387 Chinese.
Per Benlaris, str. from London, 60.—114 Chinese from Singapore.
Per Kowling, str. from Shanghai.—Mr. Rivington, and 22 Chinese.
Per Glencoe, str. from London, 60.—Capt. Westoby, Mr. Wm. Gray, Mrs. Gray, and 300 Chinese and 60 Chinese, Miss Duff, and 398 Chinese.
Per Wampoa, str. from Kuchino.—Mrs. Corfield and family.

REPORTS.

The British steamer Kowling reports left Shanghai on the 25th inst., and had fresh N.E. monsoon with cloudy weather.
The British steamer Wampoa reports left Kuchino on the 23rd inst., and had strong N.E. monsoon and thick weather.
The American steamer Fushun reports left Shanghai on the 23rd inst., and had fresh N.E. monsoon with high sea and clear weather during the passage.
The British steamer Benlaris reports left London on the 7th Nov., and Singapore on the 20th Dec., and had strong monsoon and high sea the entire passage from Singapore.

VESSLS EXPECTED AT HONGKONG.

(Corrected to Date.)
Elizabeth, Liverpool via Cardiff, July 23, 1884.
Lancashire, Cardiff, Aug. 13.
Tientsin, Canton, Aug. 13.
Glenelg, Cardiff, Sept. 3.
Chatterbox, Penarth, Sept. 4.
Isabel, Cardiff, Sept. 17.
Jessie, Hamburg, Sept. 17.
Landale, Hamburg, Sept. 24.
Melrose, London, Sept. 25.
H.M.S. Dryad, Plymouth, Sept. 27.
North American, Penarth, Oct. 11.
Thermopylae, New York, Oct. 11.
John Knox, Liverpool, Oct. 16.
Theresa, Liverpool, Oct. 16.
Broadwater, Liverpool, Oct. 26.
Strathgairn, Liverpool, Oct. 26.
Harima Maru, Glasgow, Oct. 26.
Hindman, Hamburg, Oct. 29.
Hindman, Hamburg, Oct. 29.

INTIMATIONS.

KELLY & WALSH.
NEW YEAR'S PRESENTS.—A Fine Selection of Fancy and Leather Goods, and useful Articles. Special attention is called to the large number of Novelties.
NEW YEAR'S CARDS.—A Beautiful Assortment of English and American Cards by the best Manufacturers. All the New Season's Novelties.
NEW YEAR'S STATIONERY.—A Specially Selected Lot of Invitation, Festive and Complimentary Stationery. New Year's FAVORITE CARDS.—Visiting Cards for the New Year printed at very short Notice. The best Assortment of Fancy Type in the Colony. Customers who may require their Cards engraved will oblige by sending their Card Plates early.
DIARIES FOR THE NEW YEAR.—Lett's Commercial, Scribbling and Pocket Diaries. English Coast Diaries. Anglo-Chinese Date Books. Blotting Pads with Diaries attached.
WHITKRENS ALMANACS.—As our supply may be exhausted in a few days we are now booking orders in advance.
25, KELLY & WALSH, Queen's Road.

BREWER has just received a MAGNIFICENT ASSORTMENT OF CHRISTMAS GOODS, including:—New Parian Workbenches. New Parian Workbenches. Elegantly Mounted Jewel Cases. Elegantly Mounted Glove Boxes. Elegantly Mounted Glove Boxes. Charming Designs in Blotting Cases, Photograph Frames, and in great variety. Large Quantities of Mechanical Toys of every description. All the New Season's Juvenile Books. Boys and Girls' Annuals. Kate Greenaway's New Book. A Large Assortment of Moorish Pipes and Cigarette Holders. Fancy Pipes in Cases. Boxes of Christmas Stationery with and without Sentimental Motives. All the New Season's Bon Bons. New Christmas Cards. Important: Work that should be in the possession of all Shareholders.—Shareholders and Directors. Large Collections of Music. 100 Clusters of Music.

FONG, PHOTOGRAPHER.
Begs to inform the Residents of Victoria that he has secured the assistance of an experienced European Operator, in Mr. ROBERT DOUGLAS, whose Artistic Portraiture is well known in China. N.B.—Mr. DOUGLAS intends to introduce all the latest improvements in Modern Photography. Also, Has a LARGE CHOICE, and more COMPLETE COLLECTION OF VIEWS, than any other in the Empire, the Copies of which are only to be purchased from his Studio or Messrs. KELLY & WALSH'S Store. INSTANTANEOUS VIEWS, GROUPS and POSITIVES taken daily. STUDIO, QUEEN'S ROAD, Nearly opposite the Hongkong Hotel. [45]

SAM HING STULTZ, JUNR.
TAILOR, DRAPER, and GENERAL OUTFITTER. Best Materials and a Perfect Fit Guaranteed. At MODERATE PRICES. Dealer in CHINESE SILK of all kinds, FINE HATS, MATTING and BAMBOO BEDS. Has always on hand a very fine Selection of SILK GOODS and EMBROIDERIES. Wholesale Manufacturer of SILK COATS and other Garments for Exportation. MANUFACTURER OF Best Silk and Every Kind of RATTANS. ALSO RATTAN CHAIRS, COUCHES, &c. 62, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, Fourth door West from Pottinger Street. [1070]

CUTLER, PALMER & Co.
Wine Shippers. Their Representatives in China.—Messrs. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hongkong, and LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Shanghai. Call attention to some of the items consigned to their care by this well-known house:—CLARET, Laroze, Mouton, St. Julien, de STIL HOCK. CHAMPAGNE, Royal Wine, as supplied to Her Majesty. SHERRY, Selected White Seal and Amoro. These Sherrys are also shipped in Jars. INVALIDS' PORT WINE. SCOTCH WHISKY, free from fusel oil. COGNAC, Four Stars, Three Stars, Two Stars. Prices on application to either of the above Firms.

HAIPHONG.
CALIXTE IMBERT. COMMISSION AGENT AND CARGO CONSIGNEE FOR IMPORT AND EXPORT. Will undertake Commissions for Firms in the Far East and receive Sample Consignments of Goods. Communications in English and French. [1123]

THE CHUNG NGOI SAN PO.
(Chinese Daily Press). PUBLISHED DAILY. Is the best medium for Advertising among the Chinese Community. It has been established upwards of Twenty Years, and enjoys the largest bona fide circulation of any Chinese paper in the Southern China. It is carefully edited by an experienced Chinese Scholar, and contains FEEL and RELIABLE COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. Terms for Advertising can be obtained at the Office, Wyndham Street, Hongkong; or from the different Agents.

MANILA CIGARS.
We have received a Large Stock of our "SPECIAL VIRGONES" and they can now be purchased of the following Agents:—CANTON, FOCHOW, SHANGHAI, HANKOW, TIENTSIN, and MANILA. A. S. WATSON & Co. SWATOW.—Messrs. QUELOH & Co. AMOY.—N. K. KOHALL. Hongkong, 6th Dec., 1884. [3232]

BANKS.

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.
INCORPORATED IN LONDON BY ACT OF 1884. UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1862 TO 1883. CAPITAL £2,000,000 IN 200,000 SHARES OF £10 EACH.

LONDON BANKERS.
UNION BANK OF LONDON, LIMITED. BANK OF SCOTLAND, LONDON. RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS: At 3 Months' Notice, 3 per Cent. per Annum. At 6 Months' Notice, 4 per Cent. per Annum. At 12 Months' Notice, 5 per Cent. per Annum. Current Accounts kept on terms which may be learnt on application. J. MELVILLE MATSON, Manager. Hongkong, 15th September, 1882. [1724]

NOTICE.
ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN LIQUIDATION. ALL HOLDERS OF NOTES OF THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION (HONGKONG BRANCH) are hereby requested to present them to the Liquidators in the Bank when they will be given in Exchange a Certificate of the Value of the Notes deposited. Holders of Notes will be required to furnish to the Liquidators a full and complete schedule, in duplicate, giving the date of Issue, Number, and amount of each Note produced. Forms of Schedule may be had on application at the Office of the Oriental Bank Corporation, Queen's Road, Hongkong. For the OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR OF THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, J. MELVILLE MATSON, H. HOWARD TAYLOR. Hongkong, 4th August, 1884. [1450]

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
PAID-UP CAPITAL, £7,500,000. RESERVE FUND, £4,000,000. RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION OF, 400,000. DIVIDEND, 10 PER CENT. RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO-PRRIETORS, 7,500,000.

COURT OF DIRECTORS.
Chairman—A. P. McEwen, Esq. Deputy Chairman—Hon. F. D. SASSOON Esq. L. D. Dalrymple, Esq. A. M. G. SASSOON Esq. H. E. SASSOON Esq. M. G. SASSOON Esq. Hon. W. Kewell Esq. C. D. Bottomley, Esq. CHIEF MANAGERS. Hongkong—THOMAS JACKSON, Esq. Shanghai—JOHN CAMERON, Esq. LONDON BANKERS—LONDON & COUNTY BANK.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.
On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 3 per Cent. per Annum on the daily balance. On Deposits for 3 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 6 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months, 6 per Cent. per Annum. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. DRAFTS granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. Hongkong, 25th August, 1884. [7]

NOTICE.
RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK. 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, their purchase in Hongkong, Sunday, 10 to 12, on week-days, 10 to 12, Saturdays, 10 to 12. 2.—The Assets of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation will form a direct Security for the repayment of sums deposited in the above Bank. 3.—Sums less than £1, or more than £200 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than £1,500 in any one year. 4.—Deposits may be made on behalf of relations, of Trusts, &c., in addition to the Depositor's own account. 5.—Persons desirous of saving sums less than a dollar may do so by affixing clean ten-cent stamps to a form to be obtained at the Bank or at the Post Office. When the form is presented with ten clean stamps the depositor will be credited on dollar. 6.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having £100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 7.—Deposits may be forwarded from the Ports by means of clean Hongkong Postage Stamps of any value. 8.—Interest at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum will be allowed to Depositors on their daily balances. 9.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July. 10.—Covers containing Pass-Books, Registered Letters containing Stamps or other Remittances, and generally, correspondence as to the business of the Bank, if marked ON HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK, will be forwarded free of Postage or Registration Fees by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China. 11.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attention of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary. 12.—All documents connected with the business of the Savings Bank are exempt from Stamp Duty. For the HONGKONG and SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. WITH Reference to the above business will be commenced on 1st Jan., 1885. For the HONGKONG and SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. Hongkong, 29th April, 1884. [944]

WING LOONG & Co.
No. 13, ELIZABETH STREET. MACHINISTS, BOILERMAKERS, GASFIERS, PLUMBERS, ALSO COPPER AND BLACKSMITHS. WORKS ON HILLSIDE, BEHIND GAS WORKS. The most efficient supervision given to all Work, and Charges Moderate. Hongkong, 14th October, 1884. [1632]

"JAPAN GAZETTE"
—YOKOHAMA. HAVING been appointed Agent in Hongkong and South China for the Japan Gazette, "Japan Gazette Summary," and "Hong List," Orders for Subscriptions and Advertisements will be received at this Office. Hongkong Daily Press Office, Hongkong, 23rd May 1877.

AUCTIONS.

PUBLIC AUCTION.
THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, THIS DAY, the 29th day of December, 1884, at No. 12, HOLLAND ROAD, at 2 P.M. SUNDY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE of a Gentleman giving up Housekeeping. Also, 3 GREIFFS, just landed. TERMS—Cash. J. M. GUEDES, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 29th December, 1884. [2418]

PUBLIC AUCTION.
THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, THIS DAY, the 29th day of December, 1884, at 2 P.M., at his Salerooms, Queen's Road, AN INVOICE OF FINE GOODS, COMPRISING:—ALBUMS, CIGAR CASES, CARD CASES, PAINT BOXES, WORK BOXES, DRESSING CASES, JEWELLERY CASES, PEN CASES, PENCIL CASES, CASES, ORNAMENTS, PURSES, and POCKET BOOKS. CRICKET and LAWN TENNIS BALLS and BATS. 300 HILLARD BALLS and 1 STR POOL BALLS. TERMS OF SALE—Cash on delivery. J. M. GUEDES, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 27th December, 1884. [2419]

FURNITURE SALE.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will Sell by Public Auction, at the Residence of A. VITA Esq., No. 2, Alexandra Terrace, the 30th inst., at 2 o'clock P.M., THE WOOD OF HIS HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, COMPRISING:—CRETONNE COVERED CHAIRS and COUCHES, OYSTER TABLES, LAMPS, LACE CURTAINS, SIDEBORD, DINING TABLE, GLASS, CROCKERY and ELECTRO-PLATED WARE. FINE ITALIAN OLIVEWOOD WARDROBE, WARDROBE, DRESSING TABLES, MIRRORS, and a FINE POST INDIAN-MADE BEDSTEAD. A COTTAGE PIANO by WYDESLAUFER. Catalogue will be issued. TERMS—As usual. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Auctioneers. Hongkong, 27th December, 1884. [2408]

PUBLIC AUCTION.
THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, at the Store lately known as the "HOUSE OF SEAS," in Queen's Road Central, the 30th day of December, 1884, at 5.30 P.M., THE REMAINING STOCK OF MECHANICAL TOYS, SPARKING BOWLS, &c. TERMS—As usual. J. M. GUEDES, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 29th December, 1884. [2420]

NOTICE OF AUCTION.
To be Sold by Public Auction in one lot for the benefit of the Concerned, at 3 o'clock, on the premises of the Undersigned at Fookchow, THE STEAMSHIP "KWANGTUNG," AS she now lies at Fookchow, with her ANCHORS, CHAINS and CARGO. One box of TREASURE (said to contain \$40,000) now missing will be included, should it not be previously salvaged. For Particulars, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Fookchow, Agents S.S. Kwangtung. Hongkong, 20th December, 1884. [2382]

PUBLIC AUCTION.
THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on WEDNESDAY, the 31st day of December, 1884, at 2 P.M., at the 1st House, 18, House Lane, SUNDY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c. COMPRISING:—CRETONNE COVERED DRAWING ROOM SUITE. OYSTER TABLE, TEAKWOOD CABINET, MARBLE TOP SIDE TABLES, WHATNOTS, PICTURES, MIRRORS, CLOCKS, YARDS and ORNAMENTS. DINING TABLE, SIDEBORD, CHAIRS, CROCKERY, GLASS and PLATED WARE, LAMPS, WRITING DESKS, and COPYING PRESS. DOUBLE IRON BEDSTEAD, TEAKWOOD DOORCASE, WARDROBE, TOILET TABLE and GLASS, and MARBLE TOP WASHSTAND. A COTTAGE PIANO in Rosewood Case, by Smith London. A BATHING TUB—GUN in LEADEN CASE, with IMPLEMENTS, by WELBY. A SPORTING CARBINE, with BAYONET, by WELBY, and SUNDY OTHER SHOOTING GEAR, CARTRIDGES, &c. Also, THE HOUSE BOAT "WILD DUCK." THE YACHT "THISTLE," Complete, with all GEAR, &c., as she lies off the City Hall. The Yacht will be landed and taken to be on view on and after MONDAY, the 29th inst. TERMS OF SALE—As Customary. J. M. GUEDES, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 29th December, 1884. [2417]

INTIMATIONS.
GAME PIES. AND ALL LUXURIES. Can be obtained on application to the Hongkong Hotel. H. ST. CLARE GREELEY. Hongkong, 22nd December, 1884. [2387]

ST. GEORGE'S BALL.
IT is requested that all Bills in connection with the above Ball be sent to the Hon. Treasurer as early as convenient, in order that the accounts may be CLOSED as soon as possible. H. M. THOMSETT, Hon. Treasurer. St. George's Ball. Hongkong, 22nd December, 1884. [2388]

ALL CLAIMS against the ESTATE of the late HANDMASTER of "THE HUFFS," MR. H. QUINN, must be sent to the President of the Committee of Adjustment, on or before the 31st December. After that date, NO CLAIMS will be recognized. W. C. HOWARTH, Major, The Buffs, President Committee of Adjustment. Murray Barracks, 19th December, 1884. [2376]

NOTICES OF FIRMS.

NOTICE.
DURING Mr. DENT'S absence from Hongkong, Mr. J. L. DENT and Mr. CHARLES J. LARSEN are authorized to Sign jointly for HERBERT DENT & Co. by Procuration. HERBERT DENT & Co. Canton, 20th December, 1884. [2386]

NOTICE.
I HAVE admitted Mr. NOORAHOMED JAJRAZHOY PEEBHOTH, a Partner in my Firm, carried on at Bombay, Hongkong and Shanghai, in my own name from Karak Sood, 1st Sawant Year, 1841 (19th October, 1854), and the said Firm will henceforth be designated as carried on under the Style of JAJRAZHOY PEEBHOTH & Co. JAJRAZHOY PEEBHOTH. Bombay, 10th November, 1884.

NOTICE.
WITH Reference to the above, Mr. JAJRAZHOY PEEBHOTH is authorized to Sign our Firms in China from this date. JAJRAZHOY PEEBHOTH & Co. Hongkong, 8th December, 1884. [2391]

TO BE LET.
TO LET. NOS 1 and 3, RICHMOND TERRACE, BOMHAY. The PREMISES lately occupied by Messrs. SATY & Co. ("Victoria Exchange") in Queen's Road, with Dwelling above and Godown below, to be let either in conjunction with Store or separately. Possession from 1st November next. Apply to H. A. WOOLNUGH, Hongkong Dispensary. Hongkong, 14th October, 1884. [2384]

TO LET.
COLLEGE CHAMBERS (late HOTEL DE L'UNIVERSITE) Single Rooms or Suites of Apartments. No. 44, GRAHAM STREET. No. 7, SEYMOUR TERRACE. No. 10, HOLLAND ROAD. No. 25, PRATA CENTRAL. Apply to W. D. SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, 25th December, 1883. [27]

TO LET.
THE DWELLING HOUSE No. 38, CAINE ROAD. Possession from 1st January, 1885. Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, 24th December, 1884. [2406]

TO LET.
NOS 1 and 3, CAINE ROAD. Apply to N. N. J. EZRA, 33, Wellington Street. Hongkong, 24th December, 1884. [2407]

TO LET.
HOUSE No. 8, LADDER STREET TERRACE. Apply to A. DE AZEVEDO, No. 45, Graham Street. Hongkong, 9th December, 1884. [2392]

TO LET.
SHOPS on Queen's Road, Front of 18, Bank Buildings, opposite Hongkong Hotel. Also Two large Front Rooms communicating, and a Back Room, together or separately, on 1st Floor, entrance from Wyndham Street. Also Back Room on 2nd Floor. Apply to J. D. STEPHENS, Solicitor, 18, Bank Buildings. Hongkong, 10th September, 1884. [1898]

HONGKONG WHARF & GODOWNS.
Goods received on STORAGE at Moderate Rates, in First-class Godowns. Also, Entries to GODOWNS to be LET. Apply to MEYER & Co. Hongkong, 22nd March, 1881. [1032]

TO LET.
ROOMS in CLUB CHAMBERS. Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, 1st February, 1882. [28]

INTIMATIONS.

THE GAITY COMPANY.
Sole Proprietor—GEORGE NORVILLE. FROM THE THEATRE ROYAL, CALCUTTA. THE GAITY THEATRE, BOMBAY. PATRONS: T.R.H. The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall, His Excellency The Marquis of Ripon, His Excellency Sir James FERGUSON, &c., &c., &c.

WILL, if possible, give two performances on stage for Shanghai. The first performance will be GILBERT'S CLASSICAL COMEDY ENTITLED "PYGMALION & GALATEA." The second performance will be presented "A HUSBAND IN CLOVER," and "THE ORIENTAL BUREAU," "BROWN AND THE BRAHMIN." Full Particulars will be duly announced on the arrival of the Company.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.
THE Steamship "GLENAVON." Captain Donaldson, will be despatched as above on or about the 2nd January, 1885. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, 27th December, 1884. [2389]

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA NAGASAKI AND KOBE.
(Passing through the INLAND SEA.) THE Steamship "TEHERAN." Captain G. Pateron, will be despatched for the above place on THURSDAY, the 31st January, at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to J. KENNARD DAVIS, Secretary. Shanghai, 19th December, 1884. [2411]

THE NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
SCRIP LOST. SCRIP CERTIFICATE No. 525 for Two Shares in this Company (numbered 3383 and 3384) Registered in the name of TUNG SUI & Co. has been declared to be LOST. This is to give Notice that unless the said Certificate is produced to the Office of the Company on or before the 5th January, 1885, a New Certificate will be issued in lieu thereof. By Order of the Court of Directors, J. KENNARD DAVIS, Secretary. Shanghai, 19th December, 1884. [2411]

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, LIMITED.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. IN accordance with Section 120 of the Articles of Association, the GENERAL AGENTS, with approval of the Consulting Committee, will, on 1st January, 1885, INTEREST WARRANTS of \$5 per SHARE, payable at the HONGKONG and SHANGHAI BANK, the same being at the Rate of 10 per Cent. per Annum on the Paid-up Capital of the Office for the year 1884, and notice is hereby given that in order that the same may be adjusted, the TRANSFER BOOKS of the Office will be CLOSED from the 18th to 31st instant, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Canton Insurance Office, Limited. Hongkong, 15th December, 1884. [2342]

THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.
NOTICE. THE TRANSFER BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 24th to the 31st instant, both days inclusive. By Order of the Directors, S. J. GOWER, Secretary. Hongkong, 22nd December, 1884. [2385]

HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED.
THE TRANSFER BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 22nd instant until the 5th Proximo, both days inclusive. HENRY R. H. MARTIN, Manager. Hongkong, 19th December, 1884. [2377]

SMALL SUMS to be ADVANCED on FIRST MORTGAGE on Real Property in Hongkong. Apply by letter, to "V. X." Office of this Paper. Hongkong, 29th November, 1884. [2233]

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.
NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. CONSIGNEES of the Undermentioned Goods are hereby requested to take immediate delivery of:—A B 17 BOTTES HAISINS, the same being landed and stored at their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk, into the Godowns of the Undermentioned wharves and/or from the wharves or boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 1 P.M. TO-DAY. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 27th instant will be subject to sale. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by J. KENNARD DAVIS, Secretary. Hongkong, 22nd December, 1884. [2392]

FROM HANGPOW, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.
THE Steamship "MASSALLA." Capt. G. Pateron, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk, into the Godowns of the Undermentioned wharves and/or from the wharves or boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 1 P.M. TO-DAY. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 27th instant will be subject to sale. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by J. KENNARD DAVIS, Secretary. Hongkong, 22nd December, 1884. [2392]

INTIMATIONS.

CHRONICLE AND DIRECTORY.
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